

AMENDMENT TO RULES COMMITTEE PRINT 115–**23****OFFERED BY MS. JACKSON LEE OF TEXAS**

At the end of subtitle F of title XVI, add the following new section:

1 SEC. 1694. NORTH KOREAN NUCLEAR INTERCONTINENTAL
2 BALLISTIC MISSILES.

3 (a) PLAN.—The Secretary of Defense shall prepare
4 a plan to—

5 (1) deter and defend against intercontinental
6 ballistic missiles launched by North Korea; and

7 (2) protect against damage or destruction
8 caused by such missiles of satellites critical to na-
9 tional defense and global communications, the Inter-
10 national Space Station, or other assets vital to the
11 interests of the United States.

12 (b) REPORT.—Not later than 180 days after the date
13 of the enactment of this Act, the Secretary shall submit
14 to the congressional defense committees a report on the
15 hazards or risks to Earth posed directly or indirectly by
16 the nuclear ambitions of North Korea, focusing upon—

17 (1) the deployment of intercontinental ballistic
18 missiles or nuclear devices or weapons; and

1 (2) the consequences to the health and well-
2 being of the planet should a nuclear weapon of suffi-
3 cient yield detonate, or is caused to detonate, in
4 space, particularly in the Van Allen radiation belts.
5 (c) FORM.—The report under subsection (b) may in-
6 clude a classified annex.

